

Grade One
Theme 6
Story 3— Red-Eyed Tree Frog

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Been	evening	far	forest	goes	
Hungry	near	soon	rain	day	wait
Spend	tent	where	hike	stop	eat
Hope	when	are	next		

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Do iguanas eat frogs? The red-eyed tree frog does not wait
to find out. It hops to another branch.
The frog is hungry but it will not eat the ant.
It will not eat the katydid. Will it eat the caterpillar?
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near the frog. Something slips and slithers along a branch.

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It tastes frogs in the air. Look out, frog! Jump!
JUMP! The frog lands on a leaf far away
from the boa. What does the frog see on the leaf?
A moth! Crunch, crunch, crunch! The tree frog
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